

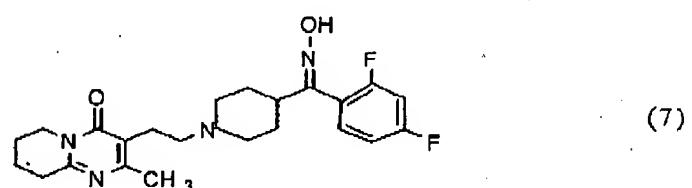
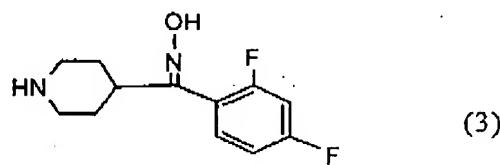
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Amendments to the Claims

The following Listing of Claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in this application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Original) An acetic acid salt of a compound of formula (3) or (7):



2. (Original) The acetic acid salt according to claim 1, wherein said salt is in solid form.

3. (Original) The acetic acid salt according to claim 1, wherein said salt is the salt of said compound of formula (3).

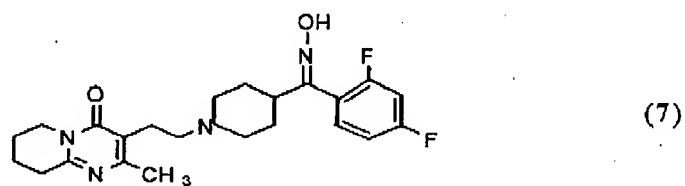
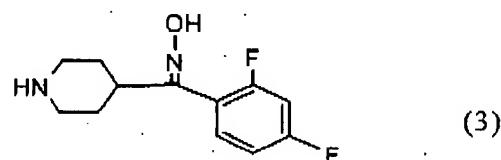
4. (Original) The acetic acid salt according to claim 3, wherein said salt contains more of the Z-isomer of formula (3) than of the E-isomer of formula (3).

5. (Original) The acetic acid salt according to claim 4, wherein said salt is in solid form and is at least 90% isomerically pure Z-isomer of formula (3).

6. (Original) The acetic acid salt according to claim 1, wherein said salt is the salt of said compound of formula (7).

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7. (Original) The acetic acid salt according to claim 6, wherein said salt contains more of the Z-isomer of formula (7) than of the E-isomer of formula (7).
8. (Original) The acetic acid salt according to claim 7, wherein said salt is in solid form and is at least 90% isomerically pure of Z-isomer of formula (7).
9. (Currently Amended) An enriched Z-isomer oxime of formula (3) or (7):



wherein the amount of Z-isomer is at least 80%95%, based on the total amount of said oxime.

10. (Cancelled)
11. (Cancelled)
12. (Original) The enriched Z-isomer according to claim 10, wherein said oxime is a compound of formula (3).
13. (Original) The enriched Z-isomer according to claim 10, wherein said oxime is a compound of formula (7).
- 14-39. (Cancelled).